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Daniel, thank you for the email. I look forward to your efforts.  
If you would like to talk about them, I am happy to do so. Regards. David

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On Feb 5, 2019, at 9:11 AM, Castellano, Daniel (OIP) <[Daniel.Castellano@usdoj.gov](mailto:Daniel.Castellano@usdoj.gov)> wrote:

Good morning,

I am the attorney assigned to your client's appeals numbered DOJ-AP-2019-001474 and DOJ -AP- 2019-001476. I apologize for the delay which is the result of the closure of this office due to a lapse of funding appropriations between Dec. 22, 2018 and Jan. 25, 2019. We work on appeals on a first-in, first-out basis and will adjudicate your client's appeals as soon as possible. However, it will likely be at least another month before we are able to complete the review of your client's two appeals.

Regards,

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